

HOUSE BILL 1469

By Staples

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 57,
Chapter 3, relative to the sale of wine in retail food
stores.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 57-3-811, is amended by deleting the section in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

(a) No retail food store licensed to sell wine under this part shall sell, or give away, wine between eleven o'clock p.m. (11:00 p.m.) on Saturday and eight o'clock a.m. (8:00 a.m.) on Monday of each week. A retail food store licensed to sell wine under this part shall only sell, or give away, wine between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. (8:00 a.m.) and eleven o'clock p.m. (11:00 p.m.) on Monday through Saturday.

(b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), a retail food store licensed to sell wine under this part may sell, or give away, wine between the hours of eight o'clock a.m. (8:00 a.m.) and eleven o'clock p.m. (11:00 p.m.) on the following holidays, regardless of the day of the week on which the holiday occurs:

- (1) January 1;
- (2) The third Monday in January, known as "Martin Luther King, Jr. Day";
- (3) The third Monday in February, known as "Washington Day";
- (4) The last Monday in May, known as "Memorial Day" or "Decoration Day";
- (5) July 4;
- (6) The first Monday in September, known as "Labor Day";
- (7) The second Monday in October, known as "Columbus Day";

- (8) November 11, known as "Veterans' Day";
- (9) The fourth Thursday in November, known as "Thanksgiving Day";
- (10) December 25; and
- (11) Good Friday.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.